

(c) the time by which it is likely to be implemented?

**THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU):** (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The requests have been received from the Hon'ble Member of the Lok Sabha during November, 1991 for provision of fax facilities at Bilaspur and Una as also from the Association of Journalists during February, 1992 for Mandi in Himachal Pradesh.

(c) During the year 1992.

### **Telephone system in Arariya, Bihar**

3217. **SHRI SUKHDEV PASWAN:** Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the telephone system in Arariya, Bihar is faulty;

(b) if not, the extent to which the capacity of each telephone exchange is being utilised;

(c) the number of complaints received in this connection during the last two years; and

(d) the action taken by the Government for the smooth functioning of telephone system in the said district?

**THE MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATION (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU):** (a) to (d). The information is being collected and will be laid on the Table of the House.

### **Pay Scale of Hindi Translators**

3218. **SHRI SANTOSH KUMAR GANG-**

**WAR:** Will the Minister of COMMUNICATIONS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Hindi translators (Grade-IV) working in the telecommunications department are given the pay scales as per the norms and rules laid down by the official language department; and

(b) if not, the reasons for the disparity and the action being taken by the Government in this regard?

**THE DEPUTY MINISTER IN THE MINISTRY OF COMMUNICATIONS (SHRI P. V. RANGAYYA NAIDU):** (a) There is no post on Hindi Translator Grade IV in the Department of Telecom.

(b) Does not arise.

### **Installed Capacity of Beer Production**

3219. **SHRISYED SHAHABUDDIN:** Will the Minister of FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES be pleased to state:

(a) the installed capacity of production of beer in the country as on April 1, 1989 and April 1, 1991;

(b) the total quantity of beer manufactured during 1989-90 and 1990-91;

(c) the number of additional units with their capacity licensed during 1990-91 State-wise; and

(d) the additional number of units and their capacity installed or under installation during 1991-92?

**THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES (SHRI GIRIDHAR GOMANGO):** (a) and (b). As per the records available in DGTD, the installed capacity of beer and total quantity of beer manufactured in the